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1. In July 1948 the following Soviet submarines were observed at Port Arthur:

<u>TYPE</u>	<u>NUMBER</u>	<u>CHARACTERISTICS</u>
III	2	Less than 100 feet long. No armament. Painted green.
IIKK	9	About 700 tons. Two guns, size unknown. 4 torpedo tubes. 20-man crew. Painted green.
TK	5	About 1,000 tons. Two guns, size unknown. 4 torpedo tubes. 25-30 -man crew. Painted green.

A number followed the letter designation for each submarine. The IIKK type submarines were numbered from 108 through 116.

2. Six of the IIKK type submarines were anchored west of the dry dock on the north side of the east harbor naval basin. Three of the TK type submarines were anchored south of the building ways on the east side of the east harbor naval basin. The other submarines were anchored in the main harbor and made frequent trips out of the harbor.

25X1A6a () Comment. It is unlikely that the first submarine described has "no armament" unless this submarine is for engineering and diving training only. The report states that there are one gun and two guns, respectively, on the 700 ton and 1,000 ton submarines; the attached sketch shows two and four guns. No explanation was given for this apparent discrepancy. Four torpedo tubes on a 1,000 ton submarine appear to constitute very light armament.)

Encl: 1 sketch

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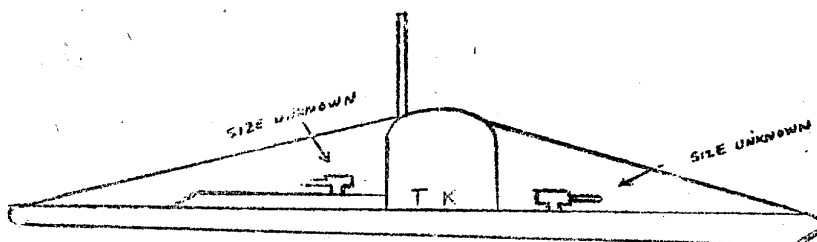
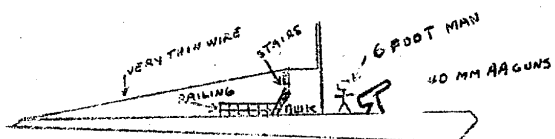
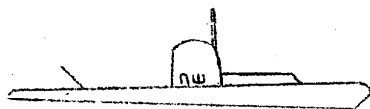
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